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BULLETIN OF THE MONTH

Peanut and Peanut Butter Recipes

Home and Garden Bulletin 36

Peanuts and peanut butter are well worth a place in everyday menus because of their food value. This new folder gives ideas of using them often in family meals.

FARMERS' BULLETINS

The red harvester ant and how to subdue it. O. L. Barnes and N. J. Nerney. Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine. 11 p., illus. (F 1668, rev.) Price 10¢.

Life history and control measures are given for this insect that causes heavy losses in fields and orchards and inflicts painful stings on man and animals.

Implements and methods of tillage to control soil blowing on the northern Great Plains. Soil Management, Agricultural Research Service and Soil Conservation Service. 21 p., illus. (F 1797, rev.) Price 15¢.

The selection and proper use of tillage implements which are extremely important in the control of soil blowing are outlined in this revised bulletin.

LEAFLETS

Furrow irrigation. George A. Lawrence. Soil Conservation Service. [8] p., illus. (L 344.) Price 5¢.

The use of furrows for irrigation is outlined in this new leaflet.

Growing eggplant. Victor R. Boswell. Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 4 p. Supersedes L 131. (L 351.) Price 5¢.

Cultivation practices for this subtropical vegetable are outlined in this new leaflet.

Commercial growing of carrots. Victor R. Boswell. Vegetable Crops and Diseases, Agricultural Research Service. 8 p. Supersedes L 125. (L 353.) Price 5¢.

This new leaflet deals with the production and storage of roots for fresh market.

AGRICULTURAL HANDBOOKS

Cheese varieties and descriptions. George P. Sanders. Bureau of Dairy Industry. 151 p. Supersedes D 608. (AH 54.) Price 45¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

This handbook was prepared to answer the questions of the many people who ask the Bureau of Dairy Industry for general information on the characteristics of different cheeses and the methods of production. It is not intended as a guide for making cheese, or as documentary evidence to use in a court of law; rather, it is an effort to describe each cheese so that consumers may be better able to recognize the various kinds by name.

Consumption of food in the United States, 1909-52. Bureau of Agricultural Economics. 249 p., illus. (AH 62.) Price 70¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

This publication revises and brings to date the detailed information on per capita consumption of all major food commodities in continental United States.

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AGRICULTURE INFORMATION BULLETINS

Pork . . . facts for consumer education. Irene H. Wolgamot and Lillian J. Fincher. Human Nutrition and Home Economics. 22 p., illus. (AB 109.) Price 15¢.

This bulletin provides source material for workers in extension, consumer education, and marketing services, and teachers, dietitians, nutritionists, food editors, and others who give consumers information on food.

Some highlights from consumer egg studies. A. William Jasper. Production and Marketing Administration. 25 p., illus. (AB 110.) Price 10¢.

The objective of this report is to bring together the more significant results of many consumer studies on consumer buying practices. Such information should be of value not only to egg producers and distributors, but also to consumers.

CIRCULARS

Relation of bruising and other factors to blue mold decay of Delicious apples. T. R. Wright and Edwin Smith. Handling, Transportation, and Storage of Horticultural Crops, Agricultural Research Service. 15 p., illus. (C 935.) Price 10¢.

An association between bruising and susceptibility to decay has long been observed, but there has been little experimental data on the relation between them. This present study illustrates the susceptibility of bruised tissue to blue mold decay.

HOME AND GARDEN BULLETINS

Peanut and peanut butter recipes. Human Nutrition and Home Economics Research. 20 p. Supersedes IS 68. (G 36.) Price 10¢. See page 1.

MISCELLANEOUS PUBLICATIONS

Index to insects by host plants. J. V. Schaffner, Jr. Bureau of Entomology and Plant Quarantine. 29 p. (Suppl. to M 657.) Price 15¢.

This index by host plants has been prepared to enable foresters and others not trained in entomology to identify an insect that is causing damage to a particular kind of tree or shrub. It supplements the volume issued in 1949 on Insect Enemies of Eastern Forests.

SERVICE AND REGULATORY ANNOUNCEMENTS

Service and regulatory announcements. Animal Disease Control Branch and Meat Inspection Branch, Agricultural Research Service. Pp. 121-131. (SRA-BAI 559.) Price 5¢ a copy, 50¢ a year, domestic; 70¢ a year, foreign.[1]

TECHNICAL BULLETINS

Economics of preparing wool for market and manufacture. D. W. Carr and L. D. Howell. Bureau of Agricultural Economics. 88 p., illus. (T 1078.) Price 30¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

The central purpose of this study is to explore possibilities of strengthening the competitive position of domestic wool through improvements in preparation and marketing.

Nutrient element balance: Response of tung trees grown in sand culture to potassium, magnesium, calcium, and their interactions. C. B. Shear, H. L. Crane, and A. T. Myers. Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering. 52 p., illus. (T 1085.) Price 25¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

This bulletin presents the results of a sand-culture experiment carried out during the growing season of 1945.

OTHER PUBLICATIONS

Alaska-cedar. H. S. Betts. Forest Service. 3 p., illus. Price 5¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Cooperative business training for farm youth. Oscar R. LeBeau and John H. Heckman. Farmer Cooperative Service. 53 p., illus. Formerly FCA Cir. E-37. (FCS-Cir. 1.) Price 25¢.

Cotton quality statistics, United States, 1952-53. Agricultural Marketing Service. 64 p., illus. (SB 137.) Price 40¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Dairy statistics and related series. Bureau of Agricultural Economics. 85 p., (SB 134.) Price 50¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Index-catalogue of medical and veterinary zoology. Supplement 1. Authors: A to B. Mildred A. Doss and Judith M. Humphrey. Bureau of Animal Industry. 317 p. Price $1.00. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Production of manufactured dairy products, 1952. Agricultural Marketing Service. 36 p. (SB 136.) Price 25¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

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Report of the Administrator of the Commodity Exchange Authority, 1953. J. M. Mehl. 28 p. Price 15¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Administrator of the Production and Marketing Administration, 1953. Howard H. Gordon. 112 p. Price 30¢.

Report of the Administrator of the Rural Electrification Administration, 1953. Ancher Nelsen. 38 p., illus. Price 15¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Animal Industry, 1953. B. T. Simms. 123 p. Price 35¢.

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Dairy Industry, 1953. O. E. Reed. 26 p. Price 15¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Chief of the Bureau of Plant Industry, Soils, and Agricultural Engineering, 1953. Albert H. Moseman. 129 p. Price 35¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Chief of the Forest Service, 1953. Richard E. McArdle. 55 p. Price 20¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Chief of the Soil Conservation Service, 1953. Robt. M. Salter. 67 p. Price 25¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Director of Finance, 1953. Joseph C. Wheeler. 53 p., illus. Price 20¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the Manager of the Federal Crop Insurance Corporation, 1953. Charles S. Laidlaw. 24 p., illus. Price 15¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

Report of the President of the Commodity Credit Corporation, 1953. Howard H. Gordon. 16 p.

Some diseases of Puerto Rican forage crops. Thomas Theis. Office of Experiment Stations. 31 p., illus. (PRB 51.) Price 20¢. FOR SALE ONLY.[1]

PERIODICALS

Agricultural economics research. Vol. VI, No. 1, January 1954. Price 20¢ a copy, 75¢ a year, domestic; $1.00 a year, foreign.[1]

Agricultural research. Vol. 2, No. 7, January 1954. Price 15¢ a copy, $1.00 a year, domestic; $1.35 a year, foreign.[1]

The agricultural situation. Vol. 38, No. 1, January 1954. Price 5¢ a copy, 50¢ a year, domestic; 70¢ a year, foreign.[1]

Agricultural decisions. Vol. 12, No. 10, October 1953. Price of single copy varies depending on size. $4.00 a year, domestic; $5.00 a year, foreign.[1]

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Bibliography of agriculture. Vol. 17, No. 12, December 1953; Vol. 18, No. 1, January 1954. Single copies vary in price, $8.00 a year, domestic; $9.50 a year, foreign.[1]

Extension service review. Vol. 25, No. 1, January 1954. Price 10¢ a copy, $1.00 a year, domestic; $1.50 a year, foreign.[1]

Fire control notes. Vol. 15, No. 1, January 1954. Price 20¢ a copy, 75¢ a year, domestic; $1.00 a year, foreign.[1]

Foreign agriculture. Vol. XVIII, No. 1, January 1954. Price 15¢ a copy, $1.50 a year, domestic; $2.00 a year, foreign.[1]

Marketing activities. Vol. 16, No. 12, December 1953. Price 15¢ a copy. $1.75 a year, domestic; $2.25 a year, foreign.[1]

News for farmer cooperatives. Vol. 20, No. 11, February 1954. Price 10¢ a copy, $1.25 a year, domestic; $1.75 a year, foreign.[1]

Soil conservation. Vol. XIX, No. 6, January 1954. Price 15¢ a copy, $1.25 a year, domestic; $1.75 a year, foreign.[1]

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